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Steve Hodges  
SRS Mining  
710 N 100 W  
P.O. Box 874  
Beaver, Utah 84713

Subject: Closure of Site, SRS Mining, Flake 1, S/027/019, Millard County, Utah

Dear Mr. Hodges:

The Division inspected the Flake 1 site on June 30, 2005 (report enclosed), and found the pit had been regraded and the trash removed. Apparently there was a verbal agreement with the BLM to forego revegetation since the site is considered a rock hounding location. Please submit a letter asking for a variance from revegetation. When we receive a release letter from the BLM then we can close your file.

The BLM informed us they would be sending such a letter, and requested that we waive the permit fees for this site. The release letter needs to be received by August 31<sup>st</sup>, or the permit fee for this fiscal year will be due and payable.

Thank you for your immediate attention to this matter. Please call me if you any questions regarding this letter.

Sincerely

Tom Munson  
Reclamation Specialist

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Attachment: inspection report

cc: Larry Garahana, BLM Fillmore w/attachment

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